

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



Applicants: Izumi TAKEMOTO

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For: WOVEN FABRIC OF NOBLE METAL FILAMENT, AND AN APPARATUS AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

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OF
8/25/01

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 3 as follows:

3. (amended) Woven fabric according to claim 1, wherein the noble metal monofilament is of 14-carat gold, 18-carat gold, 24-carat gold, or gold alloy.

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